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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: )  
Thomas J. Gritzmacher ) Group Art Unit: 3693  
Serial No.: 10/005,771 ) Confirmation No.: 1391  
Filed: 8 November 2001 ) Examiner: Sara M. Chandler  
For: Billing System and Method for Network )

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 30, 2007, issued in connection with the above-identified application, please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.